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Application No. : 10/806,288 Confirmation No: 1848
Applicant : Bengt GUSS
Filed : March 23, 2004
Title : NEW FIBRINOGEN BINDING PROTEIN ORIGINATING
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TC/A.U. : 1645
Examiner : S.J.N. Devi

Docket No. : GUSS3001D/REF
Customer No. : 23364

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action of March 21, 2005, in connection with the above-identified application. The period for response to this Official Action has been extended to expire on July 21, 2005, by the filing herewith of a petition for a one month extension of time and payment of the required fee.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.